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2007-08

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Senate

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Senate Joint Resolution 27

Relating to: calling for changes to the state's public school funding formula to be enacted by July 1, 2009.

By Senators Breske, Carpenter, Coggs, Erpenbach, Hansen, Lassa, Lehman, Miller, Plale, Risser, Sullivan, Taylor, Vinehout, Wirch and Ellis; cosponsored by Representatives Pope-Roberts, Sherman, Toles, Benedict, Berceau, Black, Boyle, Colon, Cullen, Fields, Garthwaite, Grigsby, Gronemus, Hebl, Hilgenberg, Hintz, Hixson, Hraychuck, Hubler, Jorgensen, Kessler, Kreuser, Molepske, Nelson, Parisi, Pocan, Richards, Schneider, Seidel, Sheridan, Shilling, Sinicki, Smith, Soletski, Staskunas, Steinbrink, Travis, Turner, Van Akkeren, Vruwink, Wasserman, A. Williams, Young and Zepnick.

March 13, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

November 15, 2007 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen, Kreitlow,
 Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Roger Breske, Eland — Sen., 12th Senate District
- Sondy Pope-Roberts, Middleton — Rep., 79th Assembly District
- Julie Underwood, Madison — School Finance Network
- Jennifer Morales, Milwaukee — MPS School Board
- Cathryn Atkinson, Waukesha — Waukesha Public Schools
- Mallory Massey, Hollandale — Pecatonica Area High School
- John Smart, Park Falls — Park Falls School Board
- Ruth Page Jones, Waukesha — Project ABC
Waukesha/Wisconsin Alliance for Excellent Schools
- Nancy Ketchman, Milwaukee — MacDowell Montessori School
(MPS)/Wisconsin Alliance for Excellent Schools
- Jill Gaskell, Blanchardville
- Ashley From, Florence — Florence County School
District/Wisconsin Alliance for Excellent Schools
- Katie Malinowski, Florence — Florence County School
District/WAES
- Dean Ryerson, Port Edwards — Port Edwards Public School
- Bonita Basty, Birchwood — Birchwood School District
- Jeff Spitzer-Reznick, Madison — Disability Rights Wisconsin
- Dan Brereton, Florence — Florence County School
District/Wisconsin Alliance for Excellent Schools

- Jack Norman, Madison — Institute for Wisconsin's Future/WAES
- John Simonson, Platteville
- Roxanne Starks, Milwaukee — Milwaukee PTA Council/WAES
- Randy Kunsch, Teacher — Phillips School District
- Joyce Behlke, Racine — Racine Interfaith Coalition
- Dennis Oulahan, Milwaukee — MTEA
- Larry Black, Wisconsin Heights — Wisconsin Heights School District
- Ellen Lindgren, Middleton — Middleton School Board
- Kathleen Vinehout, Alma — Sen., 31st Senate District
- Dwayne Olsen, Racine
- Charlene Hardin, Milwaukee — Milwaukee Public Schools
- Juliana Kelly, Milwaukee — Milwaukee Public Schools
- Ruby Glover, Milwaukee — Milwaukee Public Schools
- Tommie Lee Glen, Milwaukee — Milwaukee Public Schools
- Laura Vernon — Milwaukee Public Schools
- Wanda Welch, Milwaukee — Milwaukee Public Schools
- Joshua Rashik, Milwaukee — Milwaukee Public Schools
- Mary Ulandes, Milwaukee — Milwaukee Public Schools
- Cathy Olive — Milwaukee Public Schools
- Sharon Locke, Racine — Racine Interfaith Coalition
- Nancy Holmlund, Racine — Racine Interfaith Coalition
- Roger Daniels, Waukesha
- Ted Voth, Jr., Madison
- Michael Birkley, Madison — Wisconsin Property Taxpayers, Inc.
- Brian Dasher — West Bend School District
- Doug Mering, Baraboo
- Rose Bowen, Oconto — Oconto Unified School District
- Stephen Seyter, Fish Creek — Gibraltar Area Schools
- Robert Avery, Dane — Wisconsin Heights School District
- Susan Biel, Mazomanie — Wisconsin Heights School District
- June Weisberger, Madison — Dane County League of Women Voters/WAES
- Janet Kane, Middleton — League of Women Voters
- Daniel Pryzbyla, Milwaukee — Milwaukee Public Schools
- Elizabeth Coggs-Jones, Milwaukee — Co. Sup., Wisconsin State PTA

Appearances Against

- Steve Edlund, Waukesha

Appearances for Information Only

- Brian Pahnke, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
- Tony Evers, Madison — Department of Public Instruction

Registrations For

- LaMonte Harris, Milwaukee
- Sharon Redinger, Madison — PTO Coalition- Madison
- Laurie Longtine, Waukesha
- Jennifer Gonda, Milwaukee — City of Milwaukee
- Allison Kaplan, Madison — Wisconsin Educational Media and Technology Association
- Jack O'Meara, Madison — Wisconsin Education Association Council/Wisconsin Association of School Nurses
- John Eys, Janesville — School District of Janesville
- Doug Lueck, Janesville
- Darby Puglielli, Madison
- Joshua Puglielli, Madison
- Jane Elmer, Middleton — Wisconsin Retired Educators Association
- Ann Lacy, Madison
- Ronda de Bie, Waukesha
- Amy Gilgenbach, Waukesha
- Marianne Bergs, Waukesha
- Cathy Marschall, Waukesha
- Debra Kucek, Waukesha
- Katherine MacIntyre, Waukesha
- Bruce MacIntyre, Waukesha
- Kara Bassler, Madison
- Shara Bassler Mortensen, Madison
- Rose Sime, Middleton
- Joe Quick, Madison — Madison Metropolitan School District
- Monique Monroe, Racine
- John Forester, Madison — School District Administrators Alliance
- Andy Dieterich, Hollandale
- Brandon Meut, Blanchardville
- Thomas Krenz, Blanchardville
- Eli Masion, Blanchardville
- Harley Dember, Blanchardville
- Marsha Hermanson, Blanchardville
- Anthony Fontana, Blanchardville
- Molly Dieterich, Hollandale
- Kyle Kent, Blanchardville
- Elise Sigg, Blanchardville
- Amanda Zanchetti-Mayo, Stoughton
- Brit Kent, Blanchardville
- Justin Masin, Blanchardville
- Heidi Reese, Waukesha
- Lisa Atherton, Waukesha
- Fred Andrist, Elk Mound — Northern Tier of Uniserve- WEAC

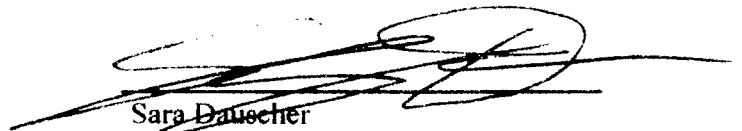
- Carol Carstensen, Madison
- Dalibor Drummer, South Milwaukee — Wisconsin Association for the Talented and Gifted
- Tor Caraway, Arena — River Valley
- Edna Pfeiffer, Waukesha
- Lisa Fusco, Waukesha
- Lori Nowak, Waukesha
- Dennis Nowak, Waukesha
- Laura Cameron, Waukesha
- Barbara Toles, Milwaukee — Rep., 17th Assembly District
- Lena Taylor, Milwaukee — Sen., 4th Senate District
- Scott Spector, Madison — AFT-Wisconsin
- Theresa Phillips, Wales
- Kristin Collett, Milwaukee — MTEA
- Nanci Schiman — Alliance for Strong Mequon-Thiensville Schools
- Kim Suhr, Wales
- Trish O'Neil, Columbus — Columbus School District
- Dan Rossmiller, Madison — Wisconsin Association of School Boards
- Mary Jo Schiavoni, Madison — ACLU Wisconsin
- Freddi Adelson, Madison — Wisconsin Association of School Nurses/WAES
- Tim Duax, Milwaukee

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.


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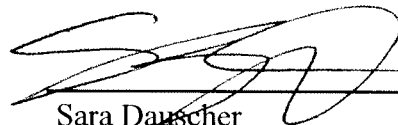
Senate Bill 41

Relating to: requiring an additional credit in mathematics and in science for a high school diploma.

By Senators Olsen, Harsdorf, Roessler and Schultz; cosponsored by Representatives Davis, Strachota, Gottlieb, Hines, Honadel, Kerkman, F. Lasee, Moulton, Nass, Nygren, A. Ott, Pridemore, Rhoades, Suder, Townsend, Vos and Wasserman.

February 15, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

March 13, 2008 Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.



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Senate Bill 42

Relating to: school policies on bullying.

By Senators Kedzie, Coggs, Carpenter, Lassa, Roessler, Darling, Lehman, Schultz, Hansen, Sullivan and A. Lasee; cosponsored by Representatives Jeskewitz, Lothian, Young, Sheridan, Fields, Turner, Hines, Albers, Berceau, A. Ott, Ballweg, Krusick, Cullen and Owens.

February 15, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

August 23, 2007 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Diane Handrick, Madison — Rep. Sue Jeskewitz
- Neil Kedzie, Elkhorn — Sen., 11th Senate District
- Margaret Yttre, New Berlin — self
- Alie Kriofske Mainella, Milwaukee — Independence 1st
- Julia Sherman, Middleton — Wisconsin Prevention Network
- Thomas Reichert — Officer, self
- Spencer Coggs — Sen., 6th Senate District

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Kathryn Shug, Fitchburg — self
- Jennifer Kammerud, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
- Dan Rossmiller, Madison — Wisconsin Association of School Boards
- Jeff Spitzer-Reznick, Madison — Disability Rights Wisconsin

Registrations For

- Joe Quick, Madison — Madison Metropolitan School District
- Shel Gross, Madison — Mental Health America
- Deb Sybell, Madison — Wisconsin Education Association Council

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

October 18, 2007

EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Olsen, seconded by Senator Hansen that **Senate Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (6) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen and Lazich.

Noes: (1) Senator Grothman.


ADOPTION OF SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1
RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 1

Moved by Senator Hansen, seconded by Senator Kreitlow that
Senate Bill 42 be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (5) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow and Olsen.

Noes: (2) Senators Grothman and Lazich.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 2


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Senate Bill 98

Relating to: providing benefits to tribal schools and tribal school pupils similar to those provided to private schools and private school pupils and making an appropriation.
By Joint Legislative Council.

March 20, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

October 18, 2007 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Regina Washinawatok, Keshena — Menominee Nation
- Bob Tucker, Shawano — Menominee Tribal School
- Frank Boyle, Superior — Rep., 73rd Assembly District
- Ed Delgado, Oneida — Councilman, Oneida Nation

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Joyce Kiel, Madison — Legislative Council

Registrations For

- Jennifer Kammerud, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
- Barbara Munson, Mosinee — Wisconsin Indian Education Association
- Joe Strohl, Madison — Menominee Indian Tribe

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.


December 6, 2007 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Hansen, seconded by Senator Olsen that **Senate Bill 98** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.
Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0



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Record of Committee Proceedings

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Senate Bill 108

Relating to: requiring instruction in public schools on the history of organized labor in America and the collective bargaining process.

By Senators Hansen, Wirth, Lehman, Plale, Risser and Sullivan; cosponsored by Representatives Zepnick, Sheridan, Sinicki, Hebl, Black, Jorgensen, Pocan, Turner, Berceau, Grigsby and Vruwink.

March 23, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

December 6, 2007 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Jim Cook, Madison — NECA-IBEW Apprenticeship
- Dave Hansen, Green Bay — Sen., 30th Senate District
- Don Garner-Gerhardt, Wausau — Teamsters
- Phil Neuenfeldt, Milwaukee — Wisconsin State AFL-CIO
- David Nack, Madison — Wisconsin Labor History Society
- Russell Retzack, West Allis
- Mark Reihl, Madison — Wisconsin State Council of Carpenters

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Maryan Stubbs, Madison — UFAS AFT 223
- Thomas Bennett, Milwaukee — Teamsters Local 200
- Tim Deneen, Madison — United Transportation Union
- Deb Sybell, Madison — Wisconsin Education Association Council
- Louis Pody, Beloit — Southern Wisconsin Building Trades
- Jennifer Kammerud, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction

- Paul Aird, Fond du Lac — Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Trainmen
- Mike Koziara, Holmen — Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees/International Brotherhood of Teamsters
- Ron Blascoe, Madison — American Federation of Teachers Local 4848
- Diane Tieman, Columbus
- Jim Cavanaugh, Madison — South Central Federation of Labor
- Josh Zepnick — Rep.
- Anthony Dimond, Reedsburg — Wisconsin Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Trainmen

Registrations Against

- Sheri Krause, Madison — Wisconsin Association of School Boards
- John Forester, Madison — School District Administrators Alliance

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

January 29, 2008

EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen, Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Erpenbach, seconded by Senator Hansen that **Senate Bill 108** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (4) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen and Kreitlow.

Noes: (3) Senators Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 4, Noes 3


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Record of Committee Proceedings

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Senate Bill 132

Relating to: the use of ethnic names, nicknames, logos, and mascots by school boards, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.

By Senators Coggs, Risser, Carpenter and Hansen; cosponsored by Representatives Musser, Boyle, Berceau, Cullen, Fields, Grigsby, Kreuser, Mursau, Nelson, Parisi, Pocan, Schneider, Sheridan, Sinicki, Soletski, Sherman and Shilling.

April 06, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

October 18, 2007 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
 Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Regina Washinawatok, Keshena — Menominee Nation
- Frank Boyle, Superior — Rep., 73rd Assembly District
- Barbara Munson, Mosinee — Wisconsin Indian Education Association
- Ken Whitehorse, Friendship — self
- Brett Munson, Menasha — Wisconsin Indian Education Association
- Michelle La Rock, Rhinelander — Wisconsin Indian Education Association
- J. P. Leary, Madison — Department of Public Instruction
- Ed Delgado, Oneida — Councilman, Oneida Nation
- Carol Gunderson, Osseo — self
- Harvey Gunderson, Osseo — self
- Patricia Marroquin Norby, Osseo — self
- Clif Morton, New London — Wisconsin State Human Relations Association
- Richie Plass, Oneida — Changing Winds Advocacy
- Matthew Stewart, La Crosse — self
- Aaron Bird Bear, Madison — Self

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Zeke Dasho, Madison — Rep. Sinicki's office
- Leah Ann Walker, Black River Falls
- Jayson Jackson, Wisconsin Rapids — Native Community of Wisconsin Rapids
- Arvina Martin, Madison — self
- Deb Sybell, Madison — Wisconsin Education Association Council
- Robert Munson — Wisconsin Indian Education Association
- Spencer Coggs, Milwaukee — Sen., 6th Senate District

Registrations Against

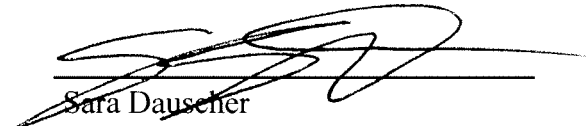
- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

March 13, 2008

Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.


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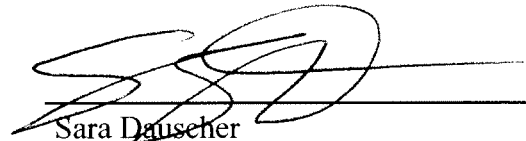
Senate Bill 149

Relating to: special observance days in school.

By Senators Plale, A. Lasee, Wirch, Darling, Taylor, Grothman, Coggs, Lehman, Hansen, Roessler, Lazich and Cowles; cosponsored by Representatives Turner, Zepnick, Honadel, Mason, Stone, Staskunas and Petrowski.

April 18, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

March 13, 2008 Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.



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Senate Bill 174

Relating to: the purposes, authority, and responsibilities of the Educational Approval Board and the regulation of schools by that board.

By Senator Vinehout; cosponsored by Representative Nass, by request of Wisconsin Educational Approval Board.

May 03, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

March 6, 2008 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
 Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.
Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Dave Dies, Madison — Educational Approval Board

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Jennifer Kammerud, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction

Registrations For

- Terry Craney, Madison — Educational Approval Board
- Michael Cooley, Oshkosh — Educational Approval Board

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

March 6, 2008 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (0) None.
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Kreitlow, seconded by Senator Hansen that
Senate Substitute Amendment 1 be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Noes: (0) None.

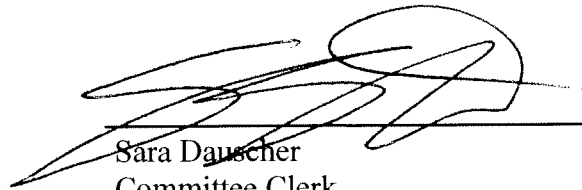
ADOPTION OF SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1
RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Hansen, seconded by Senator Kreitlow that
Senate Bill 174 be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (6) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen and Lazich.

Noes: (1) Senator Grothman.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 1



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Senate Bill 195

Relating to: school conference and activities leave.

By Senators Carpenter, Erpenbach, Lehman, Plale, Hansen, Breske and Taylor; cosponsored by Representatives Black, Grigsby, Sinicki, Cullen, Parisi, Pope-Roberts, Pocan, Fields, Sheridan, Berceau, Turner, Boyle, Smith and A. Williams.

May 31, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

December 6, 2007 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
 Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.
Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Tim Carpenter, Milwaukee — Sen., 3rd Senate District
- Spencer Black, Madison — Rep., 77th Assembly District
- Rick Grobschmidt, Madison — Department of Public Instruction
- Beth Oswald, Milton
- Tim Deneen, Madison — United Transportation Union

Appearances Against

- John Metcalf, Madison — Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Mike Koziara, Holmen — Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees/International Brotherhood of Teamsters
- Deb Sybell, Madison — Wisconsin Education Association Council
- Mark Reihl, Madison — Wisconsin State Council of Carpenters
- Phil Neuenfeldt, Milwaukee — Wisconsin State AFL-CIO
- Sabrina Gentile, Madison — Wisconsin Council on Children and Families
- Maryan Stubbs, Madison — UFAS AFT 223

- Kim Wadas, Madison — Wisconsin Catholic Conference
- Jim Cavanaugh, Madison — South Central Federation of Labor

Registrations Against

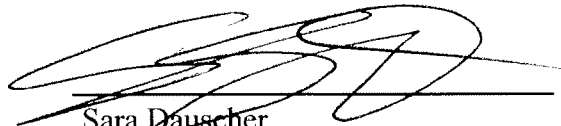
- John Forester, Madison — School District Administrators Alliance
- Michelle Kussow, Madison — Wisconsin Grocers Association
- Bill Smith, Madison — NFIB-Wisconsin

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

March 13, 2008

Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.



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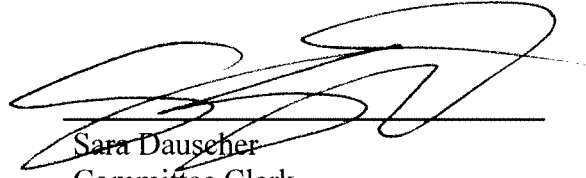
Senate Bill 231

Relating to: prohibiting the Milwaukee Public Schools from imposing residency requirements on teachers.

By Senators Darling, Lazich and Schultz; cosponsored by Representatives Gunderson, Vos, Pridemore, Pope-Roberts, Musser, Kestell, Albers, Bies, Mursau and Townsend.

July 12, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

March 13, 2008 Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.



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Senate Bill 242

Relating to: eligibility for the public school Open Enrollment Program for certain residents of neighboring school districts who wish to attend the Auburndale School District.

By Senators Lassa and Breske; cosponsored by Representatives Vruwink, Zepnick, Fields, Owens, Mursau, Petrowski and Musser.

July 19, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

August 23, 2007 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Jessica Kelly, Madison — Sen. Julie Lassa
- Gerald Eichman, Auburndale — Auburndale School District

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Amy Sue Vruwink, Miladore — Rep., 70th Assembly District
- Julie Lassa, Stevens Point — Sen., 24th Senate District
- Barbara Sella, Madison — Wisconsin Catholic Conference

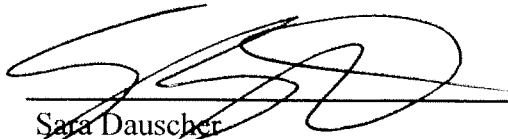
Registrations Against

- Jennifer Kammerud, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
- John Forester, Madison — School District Administrators Alliance

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

March 13, 2008 Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.



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Record of Committee Proceedings

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Senate Bill 249

Relating to: payment of the costs of advanced placement examinations taken by certain pupils.

By Senators Lehman, Breske, Darling, Erpenbach, Kreitlow, Hansen, Lassa, Miller, Plale, Risser, Schultz, Taylor and Vinehout; cosponsored by Representatives Pope-Roberts, Ballweg, Berceau, Black, Cullen, Fields, Grigsby, Hilgenberg, Hixson, A. Ott, Pocan, Sheridan, Smith, Soletski, Toles, Townsend, Travis, Turner, Van Akkeren, Vruwink and M. Williams.

August 09, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

August 23, 2007 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
 Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Jennifer Kammerud, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
- Sindy Pope-Roberts, Middleton — Rep.

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Dan Rossmiller, Madison — Wisconsin Association of School Boards
- Joe Quick, Madison — Madison Metropolitan School District
- Deb Sybell, Madison — Wisconsin Education Association Council
- John Forester — School District Administrators Alliance

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

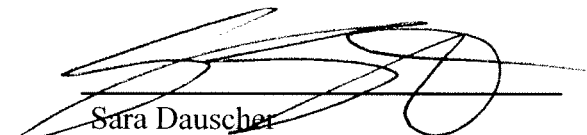
September 13, 2007 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Hansen, seconded by Senator Olsen that **Senate Bill 249** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.
Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0



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Senate Bill 251

Relating to: removal of a pupil from class, from any portion of school property, or from a school-sponsored activity.

By Senators Lehman, Carpenter, Cowles, Darling, Grothman, Hansen, Lassa, Plale and Roessler; cosponsored by Representatives Ballweg, Berceau, Davis, Fields, Gottlieb, Hahn, Hebl, Hines, Hixson, Jeskewitz, Jorgensen, Kerkman, Mursau, Musser, Nass, Nelson, A. Ott, Parisi, Petrowski, Seidel, Sheridan, Sinicki, Soletski, Staskunas, Strachota, Turner, Van Roy, Vos and Zepnick.

August 13, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

February 21, 2008 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Grothman and Lazich.

Absent: (2) Senators Kreitlow and Olsen.

Appearances For

- John Lehman, Racine — Sen., 21st Senate District
- Lily Ramos, Racine — REAA
- Sandy Nemec, Somerset — Somerset School District
- Elaine Hoffer, Madison

Appearances Against

- Sheri Krause, Madison — Wisconsin Association of School Boards

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Jeff Plale, Milwaukee — Sen, 7th Senate District
- Ted Ramos, Racine
- Michael Walsh, Madison — Wisconsin Education Association Council
- Scott Spector, Madison — AFT-Wisconsin
- Joan Ballweg, Markesan — Rep., 41st Assembly District

Registrations Against

- John Forester, Madison — School District Administrators Alliance
- Joe Quick, Madison — Madison Metropolitan School District

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

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EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Hansen, seconded by Senator Grothman that **Senate Substitute Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen, Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Noes: (0) None.

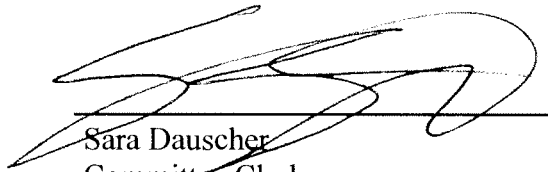
ADOPTION OF SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1
RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Kreitlow, seconded by Senator Hansen that **Senate Bill 251** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (6) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen, Kreitlow, Grothman and Lazich.

Noes: (1) Senator Olsen.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 1


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Senate Bill 299

Relating to: distribution of a portion of the school levy tax credit.

By Senators Lehman, Hansen, Kreitlow, Vinehout, Wirsch, Erpenbach, Schultz, Carpenter, Coggs, Decker, Olsen, Taylor, Lassa and Grothman; cosponsored by Representatives Gottlieb, Mason, Nelson, Turner, Hilgenberg, Gronemus, Sheridan, Hintz, Hebl, Hixson, Pope-Roberts, Vruwink, Strachota, Cullen, Sinicki, Zepnick and Staskunas.

November 02, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

November 6, 2007 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.
Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Chris Thiel, Milwaukee — Milwaukee Public Schools
- Valley Ellenhausen, West Bend — West Bend School District
- Danny Goldberg, Milwaukee — Milwaukee Public Schools District 7

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Mark Gottlieb, Port Washington — Rep., 60th Assembly District
- Cory Mason, Racine — Rep., 62nd Assembly District
- Kathleen Vinehout, Alma — Sen., 31st Senate District
- Lena Taylor, Milwaukee — Sen., 4th Senate District
- Deb Sybell, Madison — Wisconsin Education Association Council
- Sheri Krause, Madison — Wisconsin Association of School Boards
- John Forester — School District Administrators Alliance
- Jennifer Gonda, Milwaukee — City of Milwaukee

- Kristin Collett, Milwaukee — MTEA

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

November 6, 2007 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
 Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Grothman, seconded by Senator Erpenbach that
Senate Bill 299 be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (6) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
 Kreitlow, Olsen and Grothman.

Noes: (1) Senator Lazich.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 6, Noes 1



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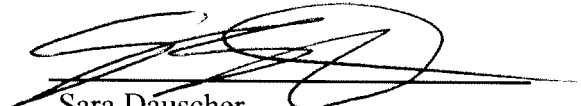
Committee on Education

Senate Bill 338

Relating to: payment of the costs of advanced placement examinations taken by certain pupils (suggested as remedial legislation by the Department of Public Instruction).
By Law Revision Committee.

November 21, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

March 13, 2008 Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.


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Senate Bill 349

Relating to: records of pupils attending a private school participating in the Milwaukee Parental Choice Program.

By Senators Taylor, Lehman, Miller and Erpenbach; cosponsored by Representatives Pope-Roberts, Richards, Sherman, Black, Grigsby, Van Akkeren, Sheridan, Pocan, Berceau, Townsend, Gottlieb, Cullen, Hixson, Jorgensen, Schneider, Toles, Fields, A. Ott, Krusick, Sinicki, Mason and Soletski.

December 07, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

February 21, 2008 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Grothman and Lazich.
Absent: (2) Senators Kreitlow and Olsen.

Appearances For

- Sondy Pope-Roberts, Middleton — Rep., 79th Assembly District
- John Lehman, Racine — Sen., 21st Senate District
- Eric Peterson, Madison — on behalf of Sen. Lena Taylor
- Jennifer Kammerud, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Deb Sybell, Madison — Wisconsin Education Association Council
- Chris Thiel, Milwaukee — Milwaukee Public Schools
- Sheri Krause, Madison — Wisconsin Association of School Boards
- Lena Taylor, Milwaukee — Sen., 4th Senate District
- Joe Quick, Madison — Madison Metropolitan School District
- Peggy Krusick, Milwaukee — Rep., 7th Assembly District

Registrations Against

- Steve Baas, Milwaukee — Metropolitan Milwaukee Association of Commerce
- Kim Wadas, Madison — Wisconsin Catholic Conference
- Brett Healy, Milwaukee — School Choice Wisconsin

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

March 6, 2008

EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Kreitlow, seconded by Senator Hansen that
Senate Bill 349 be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (4) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen and
Kreitlow.

Noes: (3) Senators Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 4, Noes 3



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Senate Bill 358

Relating to: authorizing a school board to construct or acquire a renewable resource facility.

By Senators Jauch, Decker, Cowles, Erpenbach, Kreitlow, Roessler, Schultz, Taylor, Vinehout, Wirth and Lehman; cosponsored by Representatives Suder, Bies, Hahn, F. Lasee, Mason, Molepske, Mursau, Musser, Kerkman, Sheridan, Townsend, M. Williams, Wood and Zepnick.

December 17, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

January 29, 2008 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Charlie Schneider, Menomonie — CESA #10
- Bruce Lindsay, Madison — Johnson Controls
- Bob Jauch, Poplar — Sen., 25th Assembly District
- Scott Suder, Abbotsford — Rep., 69th Assembly District

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Michael Vickerman, Madison — RENEW Wisconsin
- Jennifer Giegerich, Madison — Wisconsin League of Conservation Voters
- Sheri Krause, Madison — Wisconsin Association of School Boards
- Ryan Schryver, Madison — Clean Wisconsin
- Josh Zepnick — Rep.

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 21, 2008

EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

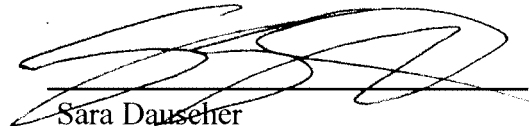
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Hansen, seconded by Senator Erpenbach that
Senate Bill 358 be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0

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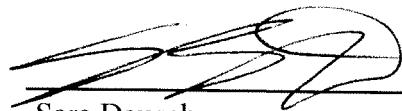
Senate Bill 365

Relating to: increasing the low-revenue ceiling for school district revenue limit purposes; authorizing a school district to exceed its revenue limit under certain conditions; modifying the school district revenue limit adjustment for declining enrollment; distributing transportation aid balances to school districts; and providing for a study.

By Joint Legislative Council.

December 19, 2007 Referred to Committee on Education.

March 13, 2008 Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.



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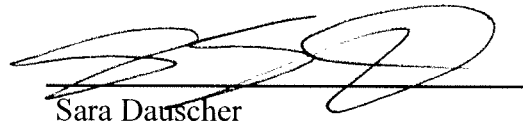
Senate Bill 383

Relating to: the terms of teacher employment contracts.

By Senators Grothman and Kanavas; cosponsored by Representatives Pridemore, Albers, LeMahieu, Nass, Owens, Vos, Townsend, Honadel, Strachota, Kramer and Nygren.

January 14, 2008 Referred to Committee on Education.

March 13, 2008 Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.


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Senate Bill 395

Relating to: adopting federal law as it relates to an income tax deduction for certain educators and creating an individual income tax deduction for educators who use their own funds to purchase classroom educational supplies.

By Senators Plale, Taylor, Olsen, Darling, Roessler, Kapanke, Leibham, Schultz, Kedzie, Wirch, Hansen, Vinehout, Risser, Lassa and Erpenbach; cosponsored by Representatives Wieckert, Ballweg, Staskunas, Boyle, Gronemus, Parisi, Turner, A. Ott, Smith, Jorgensen, Young, Berceau, Jeskewitz, Fields, Musser, Bies, Friske, Sheridan, Kaufert, Gunderson, Mursau, Mason, Grigsby, Cullen, Vos, Sherman, Seidel, Van Akkeren, Hubler, Shilling, Van Roy, Ziegelbauer, Molepske, Nelson, Kleefisch, Townsend, Schneider, Pope-Roberts and Travis.

January 17, 2008 Referred to Committee on Education.

February 21, 2008 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen, Grothman and Lazich.

Absent: (2) Senators Kreitlow and Olsen.

Appearances For

- Steve Wieckert, Appleton — Rep., 57th Assembly District
- Jeff Siuta, Racine — Racine Unified School District
- Madu Enwemnwu, Madison — Office of Sen. Lena Taylor

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Jeff Plale, Milwaukee — Sen, 7th Senate District
- Joe Quick, Madison — Madison Metropolitan School District
- Deb Sybell, Madison — Wisconsin Education Association Council
- Sandy Nemec, Somerset — Somerset School District
- Lily Ramos, Racine — REAA
- Jennifer Kammerud, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction

- Matt Kussow — Wisconsin Council on Religious and Independent Schools
- Lena Taylor, Milwaukee — Sen., 4th Senate District

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

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EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

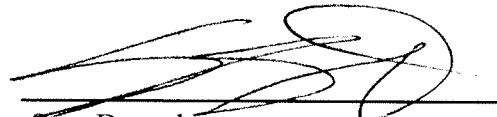
Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Hansen, seconded by Senator Olsen that **Senate Bill 395** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0


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Senate Bill 396

Relating to: online courses for elementary and secondary school pupils and granting rule-making authority.

By Senators Lehman, Kreitlow and Taylor; cosponsored by Representatives Pope-Roberts, Sinicki and Turner.

January 17, 2008 Referred to Committee on Education.

January 17, 2008 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
 Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.
Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- John Lehman, Racine — Sen., 21st Senate District
- Jennifer Kammerud, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
- Brian Pahnke, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
- Sheila Ellefson, Madison — Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
- Lucy Brown, Madison — Wisconsin Education Association Council
- Annette Walaszek, Kewaunee — Wisconsin Education Association Council

Appearances Against

- William Harbron, Fredonia — Northern Ozaukee School District
- Barb Peterka, Fredonia — Northern Ozaukee School District
- Kurt Bergland, Fredonia — Northern Ozaukee School District
- Mike Skurek, Fredonia — Northern Ozaukee School District
- David Schmidt, Waukesha — Waukesha iQ Academy
- Allan Mailloux, Oregon
- Joni Burgin, Grantsburg — Grantsburg School District
- Josh Watt, Grantsburg — Grantsburg School District
- Billy Busley, Grantsburg — Grantsburg School District

- Rose Fernandez, Mukwonago — Wisconsin Coalition of Virtual School Families
- Kathy Hennings, Cedarburg — Wisconsin Virtual Academy
- Kaye Martin, Cedarburg — Wisconsin Virtual Academy
- Jen Trattner, Cedarburg — Wisconsin Virtual Academy
- Lee Alliager, Appleton — Appleton Area School District
- Nicole Schweitzer, Appleton — Appleton Area School District
- Michelle Mueller, Appleton — Appleton Area School District
- Linda Dawson, Appleton — Appleton Area School District
- Bob Pennewell, Appleton — Appleton Area School District
- Connie Radtke, Appleton — Appleton Area School District
- Dan Hanrahan, West Bend
- Cory Hirsbrunner, Monroe — Monroe School District
- Larry Brown, Monroe — Monroe School District
- Ron Olson, Monroe — Monroe School District
- Rick Chandler, Madison — Wisconsin Coalition of Virtual School Families
- Reba Langhus, Sun Prairie

Appearances for Information Only

- Jerry Fiene, Tomahawk — CESA #9 - Wisconsin Virtual School
- Dawn Nordine, Tomahawk — CESA #9 - Wisconsin Virtual School
- Larry Kaseman, Stoughton — Wisconsin Parents Association

Registrations For

- Lena Taylor, Milwaukee — Sen., 4th Senate District

Registrations Against

- Jim Morgan, Madison — Wisconsin Charter School Association
- Dan LeMahieu, Cascade — Rep., 59th Assembly District
- Don Pridemore, Hartford — Rep., 99th Assembly District
- Leah Vukmir, Wauwatosa — Rep., 14th Assembly District
- Sheri Krause, Madison — Wisconsin Association of School Boards

Registrations for Information Only

- Richard Halverson, Madison

January 29, 2008

EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen, Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Olsen, seconded by Senator Kreitlow that
Senate Substitute Amendment be recommended for introduction.

Ayes: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Noes: (0) None.

INTRODUCTION OF SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT
RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Kreitlow, seconded by Senator Olsen that
Senate Substitute Amendment lrbs0232 /2 be recommended for
adoption.

Ayes: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Noes: (0) None.

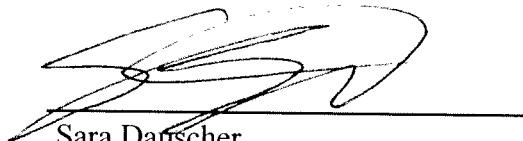
ADOPTION OF SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT
LRBS0232 /2 RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Olsen, seconded by Senator Kreitlow that
Senate Bill 396 be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (7) Senators Lehman, Erpenbach, Hansen,
Kreitlow, Olsen, Grothman and Lazich.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0



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